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prepared on other bills, and if you want to go tit for tat, I guess we can do that. I am kind of resentful of the fact that we worked in good faith. My committee counsel spent time, she had meetings with Stephanie, the language came back to us. I feel like we have worked in good faith, and now here we are. It's real easy to try and stop something at the last minute, and frankly, I kind of resent that. So with that, I'll yield my time to Senator Mines. I appreciate Senator Landis' efforts at reconciling this, but in a way, it's kind of rewarding bad behavior, and that's my opinion. With that, I'd yield my time to Senator Mines.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Mines.

SENATOR MINES: Thank you, Mr. President. Thank you, Senator Bourne. And Senator Landis, I appreciate...he's gone. David just goes away. Here he comes! David, thank you for your suggestion and your offer of a heads-up or an up or down. We've done that, Senator. We've done up or down, and to have someone wade in and threaten to take an entire bill down because all of a sudden, he and his legal counsel don't like what's going on...we've worked, we've negotiated with the natural resources district, with Dean Edson. We've negotiated, we've worked, and then all of a sudden, they are opposed to it, as well. I don't think there's anything that Senator Schrock and his legal counsel will like about this. I'm not in favor of an up-or-down vote on the amendment. I will continue to work, and if this bill goes down, not my fault. My bill is in there. If Senator Schrock withdraws his amendment, we'll go to a vote and make it happen. Thank you, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Mines. Senator Beutler. Senator Schrock.

SENATOR SCHROCK: Mr. President, Senator Bourne and Senator Mines would make you believe this bill has been worked out. Then why is the attorney for the Papio NRD in my office saying this kills all flood control projects? Why is the Papio NRD opposed to this? Why is Dean Edson opposed to this? Because it's a bad bill. It kills flood control projects. I will accept Senator Landis' offer. Senator Landis is a good broker,